

Alabama Streak Sorus Fern

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IDENTIFICATION: The Alabama Streak Sorus Fern (*Thelypteris pilosa* var. *alabamensis*) is a small evergreen fern with 4 - 8 inch deeply scalloped leaves. It grows only on sandstone overhangs and cliff faces, often in coves. It needs cool shady conditions to persist.

FORESTRY CONSIDERATIONS: Unlikely to be affected by forestry activities if Alabama's Best Management Practices for Forestry are implemented.

DISTRIBUTION BY COUNTY: Found only in Winston County.



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